



## BURLINGAME ENEWS

**June 16, 2022**

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# New Water Use Restrictions

WATER SHORTAGE EMERGENCY DECLARED



## THESE MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS ARE IN EFFECT:



No outdoor watering that causes runoff onto walkways or other hard surfaces.



No driveway or sidewalk washing unless for immediate health or safety concerns.



Restaurants and food service operations must serve water upon request.



Sprinkler irrigation is limited to two days per week and between 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.



No watering of "non-functional turf" at large commercial, industrial, and institutional sites.

FOR MORE DETAILS VISIT [WWW.BURLINGAME.ORG/WATERCONSERVATION](http://WWW.BURLINGAME.ORG/WATERCONSERVATION)

## New Water Use Restrictions in Effect

On June 6, the Burlingame City Council declared that a water shortage condition exists and adopted new water use restrictions from Level 1 and Level 2 of the Water Shortage Contingency Plan. The following restrictions are now in effect:

- Potable water shall not be used to water outdoor landscapes in a manner that causes runoff onto non-irrigated areas, walkways, or other hard surfaces.
- Potable water shall not be applied in any manner to any driveway or sidewalk, except when necessary to address immediate health or safety concerns.
- Restaurants and other food service operations shall serve water to customers only upon request.
- Those using overhead sprinkler irrigation with potable water on residential and commercial landscaping may only do so a maximum of two days per week, and not between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Some forms of irrigation are exempt, including drip, bubbler, hand-watering with a shut-off nozzle, other water-efficient irrigation systems, and new landscaping installed in the plant establishment period (typically less than two years).
- Prohibit installation of single-pass cooling systems.
- Prohibit vehicle washing, except with the use of recycled water.

Visit the City's [Water Use Restrictions](#) webpage to learn about these new regulations and visit the [Conservation Tips](#) webpage to learn how you can save water.

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## Notice of Fuel Reduction in Mills Canyon

The City of Burlingame Parks and Recreation Department has partnered with CAL FIRE work crews to reduce the fuel load in Mills Canyon. Work is scheduled for every Wednesday and Thursday in June. The crew will be removing dead vegetation, low branches, invasive species, and other materials that significantly contribute to the fuel load. On these dates, the Ed Taylor Loop Trail will be closed from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Please do not record, photograph, or speak to the work crews while they are working. If you wish to speak to someone on-site, please speak to City staff that are on-site or the CAL FIRE Captain.

You may also contact Richard Holtz at [rholtz@burlingame.org](mailto:rholtz@burlingame.org) for more information.

Thank you for your understanding as the City works to improve the safety of Mills Canyon.

**Recycle.  
Compost.  
Go Electric.  
Save Water.  
Say No To Plastic.**

# take action.

**THE FUTURE IS IN OUR HANDS.**



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Sign up for the "Burlingame Gazette" and get the most current information on senior events, programs, and resources. Click on this "button" to send an email to [cvega@burlingame.org](mailto:cvega@burlingame.org), or call the Burlingame Recreation Center at 650-558-7300 to get the "Gazette" mailed to your home or delivered to your email inbox.

Burlingame is proud of our employees. If you think so too, we'd love to hear from you! Click here to send an email to [EmployeeRecognition@burlingame.org](mailto:EmployeeRecognition@burlingame.org) if an individual or department has gone above and beyond for you!

## Events Around Town



**FREE!**

**Burlingame Parks & Recreation Department**



**FRIDAY NIGHTS • 6-8 PM • WASHINGTON PARK**

<b>June 3</b>	<b>The Houserockers</b>	<b>Rock</b>
<b>June 17</b>	<b>Careless Whisper</b>	<b>80s</b>
<b>July 8</b>	<b>Ryan Scripps Music</b>	<b>Country</b>
<b>July 22</b>	<b>Fleetwood Mask</b>	<b>Tribute</b>



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## **Music in the Park**

This Friday, the Parks and Recreation Department is excited to welcome Careless Whisper, an 80s cover band, to the stage for the next concert in the Music in the Park series! Mark your calendars and invite your friends. It's time to enjoy fun Friday evenings in the park by rocking out to some live music. This free event is open to all members of the community, including your dogs, as long as they remain on leash. Maverick Jack's will be on site this Friday to sell food! Beer and wine will also be available for purchase. The Music in the Park series is presented in partnership with Meta. [Visit our website](http://www.burlingame.org) for more information.

In conjunction with the concert, there will be an open house at the new Community Center for anyone who may have missed the Grand Opening – stop in to check out the new building!



THE CITIZENS ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL  
PRESENTS

# *Save Water with Rain Barrels*

Wednesday, July 6

6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Lane Room at Burlingame Main Library

Register online via Zoom



## **Demystify Rainwater Harvesting**

**Wednesday, July 6 - 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

Did you know that a 1,000-square-foot roof can capture over 600 gallons of water from just 1 inch of rain? Burlingame residents get an average of 21 inches of rain per year. That's a harvesting potential of over 13,000 gallons of water!

You can learn all you need to know about water-harvesting systems at the Citizens Environmental Council's program, "**Save Water with Rain Barrels**" on **Wednesday, July 6**, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. The program is cosponsored by the City of Burlingame and the Bay Area Water Supply and Conservation Agency (BAWSCA).

BAWSCA is donating a 55-gallon rain barrel, valued at \$100, for a free drawing that will be offered during the program. Everyone attending will be eligible. The program, which features rainwater harvesting specialist Chris Corvetti, will be held in the Lane Room at the Burlingame Library at 480 Primrose Road in Burlingame. Admission is free. Advance registration is requested. To register, click [here](#).

Chris will explain the basics of different rainwater harvesting systems and how to incorporate them into your landscaping. She'll also discuss the environmental impact of water-saving systems, rebates currently offered in this area, and all the requirements to install one yourself. There will be ample time for questions and answers.

The program is timely because Burlingame residents are eligible for a rebate of up to \$200



on rain barrels through June 30, 2023. Details are available [here](#).

Upon completion of her Peace Corps service in Mongolia, Chris moved to California as a member of the AmeriCorps Watershed Stewards Program, where she delved into issues surrounding water conservation specific to the Bay Area. Since the end of her AmeriCorps service in 2017, Chris has helped numerous nonprofits and communities install rainwater harvesting systems throughout the Bay Area. she has led workshops with local organizations, including BAWSCA, Flows to Bay, and Grassroots Ecology.

The Citizens Environmental Council's mission is to champion regional sustainability through education, advocate for environmental and climate policies, and empower young environmental leaders. For more information, visit [cecburlingame.org](http://cecburlingame.org) or email [info@cecburlingame.org](mailto:info@cecburlingame.org)

## The Fresh Market! Thursdays Are Back!

**Sundays, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

**Thursdays, 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

**Park Road at Burlingame Avenue**



Please continue to follow these important tips for shopping the Fresh Market:

- **Leave your pets at home, please.** By order of the San Mateo County Health Department, **no dogs are allowed** in Burlingame's Fresh Market.
- Come to the market in good health; please stay home if unwell.
- Wash hands/ refrain from touching your face.
- Wash all produce before consumption.

For more information, visit [burlingamechamber.org](http://burlingamechamber.org).

## Community Updates (events/info. not sponsored by the City of Burlingame)

### Support BCE

For more than 40 years, the Burlingame community has been supporting our community's youngest learners with an annual grant of funds through the Burlingame Community for Education Foundation (BCE). That tradition continues and the need is greater than ever.

This year, we still need \$142,000 by June 30 to meet our community's goal of providing \$2.65 million to the Burlingame School District! This grant will fully fund 20 teacher salaries AND paid training for ALL of our teachers, which is approximately 1.67% of all BSD teacher salaries combined, for next year.

Every dollar counts, and your participation is valued at any level.

Did you know that approximately 17% of our 3,300 students, approximately 560 local students, live in socio-economically disadvantaged households? These families are not financially able to contribute. You can help support these students and fill this **profound unmet local need**. **Make an enduring, powerful impact locally.** [Donate here](#).

Sign up for regular BCE updates at <https://www.bcefoundation.org/subscribe-newsletter>





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## Free Program Features Earthquake Expert

**Wednesday, June 29 - 7:00 p.m. -  
8:00 p.m.**

Authorities say that there is a high likelihood of an earthquake as large as or larger than the 1989 Loma Prieta earthquake in the next 30 years. How will it impact San Mateo County? What can you do to reduce damage to your home?



One of the U.S. Geological Survey's (USGS) foremost experts on earthquakes will answer those questions and others on **Wednesday, June 29**, from 7 to 8 p.m., during a free program called, **"Because It Will Happen Here: The Local Impact of a Major Quake,"** presented by the [Burlingame Neighborhood Network](#). The program will be held on Zoom.

**Tom Brocher**, who served as Director of the Earthquake Science Center at USGS, will describe how a large earthquake might impact neighborhoods in Burlingame and San Mateo County, as well as the latest forecast updates and alert systems. He'll also offer recommendations for minimizing injuries during a quake and how to prepare your home to withstand a shaker.

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## Introducing Ridwell

Ridwell, a Seattle based recycling company looking to expand in the Bay Area, is creating solutions for hard to recycle items like plastic film and textiles. Ridwell picks-up items that can't be placed in curbside recycling and works with local and regional partners to reuse or recycle them. Items like plastic bags and old clothing that may go to the garbage and landfill are instead diverted

by Ridwell.

Ridwell is currently operating in Portland, Austin, Denver, Minneapolis, and Seattle. Their members have diverted over 5 million pounds of waste from landfills so far. Join the WAITLIST to let them know we want them in the Bay Area or reach out to Karen, the local Community Launcher, with questions about the service or launch dates at [karen.noryko@ridwell.com](mailto:karen.noryko@ridwell.com)



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## COVID-19 Testing

Self-collected, shallow nasal PCR test

Results within 1-2 days upon receipt of the sample at the lab

No cost to insured or uninsured. If insured, please have your information ready.



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1715 Quesada Way  
Burlingame, CA 94010



Mondays  
1:00PM - 7:00PM

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